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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	826.1710	
	Application Number	09/816,372	
	Filing Date	March 26, 2001	
	First Named Inventor	Yasuhiko KANEMASA et al.	
	Group Art Unit	2194	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$0.00	Examiner Name	Li B. Zhen

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	23	- 23 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	9	- 9 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	\$ 0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>May 7, 2007</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):					
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 0.00
(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".					
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".					
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".					
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".					

METHOD OF PAYMENT	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Check enclosed as payment.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
<input type="checkbox"/>	No payment is enclosed.

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: Deposit Account No. <u>19-3935</u> Deposit Account Name <u>STAAS & HALSEY LLP</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP			
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yasuhiko KANEMASA et al.

Serial No. 09/816,372

Group Art Unit: 2194

Confirmation No. 7328

Filed: March 26, 2001

Examiner: Li B. Zhen

For: DATA INTERCHANGE SYSTEM REALIZING PROCESS LINKAGES AMONG
PLURALITY OF SYSTEMS, DATA INTERCHANGE INSTRUMENT REALIZING
PROCESS LINKAGES AMONG PLURALITY OF INSTRUMENTS AND METHOD
THEREOF (as amended)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 6, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on May 7, 2007 (due date of May 6, 2007 being on Sunday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.